

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor:	Masatoshi TAKEDA et al.	Art Unit 1797
Appln. No.:	10/734,568	Exr. S. Siefke
Filed:	December 15, 2003	Conf. No. 2482
For:	MICROPUMP, MICROPUMP UNIT INCLUDING THE MICROPUMP, SAMPLE PROCESSING CHIP FOR USE WITH THE UNIT, AND SHEET CONNECTOR FOR USE WITH THE UNIT	

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection dated July 1, 2008, the Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time and request that the above-captioned application be amended as follows: